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DETAILED ACTION

EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Glenn E. Von Tersch, Reg. No. 41,364 on August 18, 2006.

The application has been amended as follows:

In the claims,

4. (currently amended) A system for protecting images distributed over a network, comprising:

a user interface within an administrative computer, (a) for displaying a list of a plurality of web pages on a server computer web site, and a list of images that are referenced within any of the plurality of web pages, and (b) for displaying characteristic icons to indicate (i) web pages all of whose referenced images are protected, (ii) web pages some but not all of whose referenced images are protected, and (iii) web pages none of whose referenced images are protected, the administrative computer being remote from the server computer and communicatively coupled therewith;

a protection status manager within the administrative computer, for generating protection status information in response to selection by a user of at least one web page from the list of web pages or at least one image from the list of images, the protection status information designating the at least one web page selected by the user as being protected web pages or the at least one image selected by the user as being protected images;

a transmitter within the administrative computer, for sending the protection status information from the administrative computer to the server computer; and

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a copy-protection module residing on a client computer, for copyprotecting an image referenced within a web page downloaded from the server computer to the client computer if the referenced image is designated by the protection status information as being protected.

11. (currently amended) A system for protecting images distributed over a network, comprising:

a user interface within an administrative computer, (a) for displaying a list of a plurality of web pages on a server computer web site, and list of a plurality of images that are referenced within any of the plurality of web pages, and (b) for displaying characteristic icons to indicate (i) web pages all of whose referenced images are protected, (ii) web pages some but not all of whose referenced images are protected, and (iii) web pages none of whose referenced images are protected, the administrative computer being remote from the server computer and communicatively coupled therewith;

a protection status manager within the administrative computer, forgenerating protection status information in response to selection by a user of at least one web page from the list of web pages or at least one image from the list of images, the protection status information designating the at least one web page selected by the user as being protected web pages or the at least one image selected by the user as being protected images;

a transmitter within the administrative computer, for sending the protection status information from the administrative computer to the server computer; and an encoder for encrypting at least one image on the server computer, if the at least one image is designated by the protection status information as being protected.

16. (currently amended) A system for protecting images distributed over a network, comprising:

a user interface within an administrative computer, (a) for displaying a list of a plurality of web pages on a server computer web site, and list of a plurality of images that are referenced within any of the plurality of web pages, and (b) for displaying characteristic icons to indicate (i) web pages all of whose referenced images are protected, (ii) web pages some but not all of whose referenced images are protected, and (iii) web pages none of whose

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referenced images are protected, the administrative computer being remote from the server computer and communicatively coupled therewith;

a protection status manager within the administrative computer, for generating protection status information in response to selection by a user of at least one web page from the list of web pages or at least one image from the list of images, the protection status information designating the at least one web page selected by the user as being protected web pages or the at least one image selected by the user as being protected images; a transmitter within the administrative computer, for sending the

protection status information from the administrative computer to the server computer; and an image copy protector on the server computer for controlling the server computer to transmit, in response to receiving a request from a client computer to download a web page that references an unencrypted image on the server computer, an encrypted image instead of the referenced unencrypted image, if the referenced unencrypted image is designated by the protection status information as being protected.

26. (currently amended) A system for protecting images distributed over a network, comprising:

a user interface within an administrative computer, (a) for displaying a list of a plurality of web pages on a server computer web site, and a list of a plurality of images that are referenced within any of the plurality of web pages, and (b) for displaying characteristic icons to indicate (i) web pages all of whose referenced images are protected, (ii) web pages some but not all of whose referenced images are protected, and (iii) web pages none of whose referenced images are protected, the administrative computer being remote from the server computer and communicatively coupled therewith;

a protection status manager within the administrative computer, for generating protection status information in response to selection by a user of at least one web page from the list of web pages or at least one image from the list of images, the protection status information designating the at least one web page selected by the user as being protected web pages, or the at least one image selected by the user as being protected images;

a transmitter within the administrative computer, for sending the protection status information from the administrative computer to the server computer; and

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an image copy protector on the server computer-fer controlling the server computer to send a substitute image to a client computer, in response to receiving a request from the client computer for a web page that references an image that is designated by the protection status information as being protected.

Conclusion

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Beemnet W. Dada whose telephone number is (571) 272-3847. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday - Friday (9:00 am - 5:30 pm).

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Kim Y. Vu can be reached on (571) 272-3859. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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